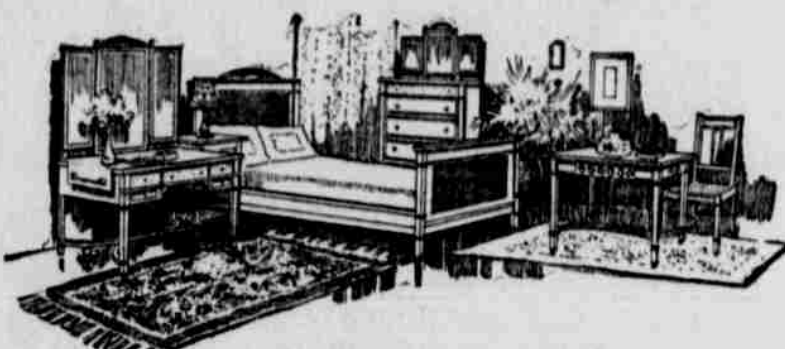


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You will find here remarkable values in bedroom sets.

We are offering you a wider choice than ever before. Brass, iron and wood beds with dressing tables, chairs and chiffoniers that harmonize with them in style.

The prices will please you especially. Many of these sets were made to sell for considerably more than we are asking.

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TALK OF THE TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wilkinson of Rutland, former residents of Barre, arrived in the city yesterday to pass several days at their home on South Main street.

Miss Blanche McNally arrived in the city yesterday while on her way to William Lafayette's on the west hill, where she expects to visit for a few days before returning to her home in Northfield.

John R. Eames of Washington street, who has been taking a vacation from his duties as manager of the Park theatre, returned last night from a visit of several days in Boston and Manchester, N. H.

During the absence of Guy Ottolini of Blackwell street, who has been passing a part of his vacation in Cleveland, Ohio, where he accompanied the Barre delegation ten days ago, Frank Prestini of Granite street has been employed as a clerk in the hardware store of C. W. Averill & Co. Mr. Ottolini will resume work toward the end of the week.

When the members of the boys' newly organized baggage band meet for their first practice in Clan Gordon hall on Wednesday night, members of the clan will have their first opportunity to hear the music. A good deal of interest has been taken in the young folks' band since it was started, and at the present time it has ten members, with bright prospects of a few more joining.

TALK OF THE TOWN

D. J. Camp of East Randolph was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Heat drove many men from the stone sheds yesterday, and a majority of those who were given permission to go home were told not to return until the humidity subsided. Most of the granite plants were in operation this morning.

Atty. W. R. McPeeters of Enosburg Falls, Republican state committeeman from Franklin county, returned home last evening, after having been registered at Hotel Barre while in Washington county on business. He was accompanied by Mrs. McPeeters and Miss Dempsey.

Mrs. Helen Welch of Groton, who is well known in Barre, having been a frequent visitor here in years past, has disposed of her hotel and residence in Groton to G. S. Welch, who will conduct the hotel business. A dry goods store and grocery business owned by Mr. Welch has been purchased by E. D. Ricker.

The police believe that they have identified the person who has been in the "Peeping Tom" business in the vicinity of Currier and Cliff streets, Maple Grove and Eastern avenue. For several nights the district affected by the nocturnal peeper has been closely watched by the patrolmen, with the result that some satisfactory conclusions have been reached.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Big Blue Ribbon, 50 cigar, sold everywhere.—adv.

Clean-up sale of summer goods this week at Vaughan's.

Stovepipe and elbows, all kinds of stove blackings, stoves, repairs of all kinds. E. A. Prindle Co.

Deputy Sheriff E. C. Kent of Randolph was among the business visitors in the city yesterday and to-day.

Harold Bell Wright's new book, "When a Man's a Man," on sale at Martin's Book Store; also "The Eyes of the World," at 50c.

Mrs. W. F. Gibbs of South Barre left to-day for Laconia, N. H., where she is to assist Capt. and Mrs. Morey in the big Salvation Army meetings held at The Weirs, at the reunion of G. A. K.

Miss Watt would like to meet the girls who have attended sewing school for a picnic on Wednesday. Please meet at either Mathewson school or Goddard seminary at 2 p. m. and bring luncheon.

Kenyon's auto bus for picnic parties, special trips to Berlin pond, Williams-town golf and other places any time, reasonable rates and careful driving will convince you. Phone 606-W for particulars.

The bearers at the funeral of Mrs. Marie E. Morse were John Ladd, Dan Ladd, Harry Ladd, Charles Ladd, Pliny Morse and Mark Morse, and not those named in the obituary published in yesterday's Times.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thom and children, Eleanor and Russell, of Kalamazoo, Mich., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Piore, 197 South Main street, and they will also visit Mrs. Thom's brother, John McMinn of Brookfield.

Arthur J. Cave of Elm street, who is taking a brief vacation from his duties at Young Bros' plant, motored to Burlington this morning and will be accompanied home this evening by Mrs. Alex Young and children, who have been passing several days in camp at Queen City park.

Members of the Barre Board of Trade please remember the bear acquaintance trip to East Randolph, Wednesday evening. Automobiles leave City square at 5:40 o'clock. Purchase your supper tickets at once. Tickets, 50 cents each, entitle the possessor to the supper and free automobile transportation to and from East Randolph.

Joseph Shady of Prospect street left the city this morning for a stay of 10 days in Bartlett, N. H. Mr. Shady carried along his easel and brushes and plans to take a series of sketches at the mountain scenery before returning. A number of oil paintings, genre subjects, which the artist has completed for New Hampshire folks in the vicinity of Berlin and Bartlett, will be delivered during his absence.

The case of State vs. Alex (Shepherd) Wilson, charged with the breach of the peace offense, will be heard in city court tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. The state case against Jose Canales, charged with a breach of the peace, has been set for Friday morning at 9 o'clock. J. Garcia, the man who is said to have been assaulted by Canales during a Sunday ball game several weeks ago, is able to be out of doors, after having been confined to the house by a fracture of the jaw.

Deputy Sheriff W. E. Bixby of East Barre, arrested early in the summer on a charge of violating the automobile statutes, will be heard next Monday morning. E. R. Davis is the appearance for the respondent in each case and Grand Juror William Wishart will represent the state.

To-night the board of aldermen assembled at city hall for its regular session, to be followed at 8 o'clock by a meeting of the board of civil authority in the city court room, where taxpayers who have protests from the decision of the assessors will be given their last opportunity to present their appeals. Two meetings of the board have been held already. Apart from one or two matters of more than passing importance, only routine business is in sight for the aldermen. There is a feeling that the much mooted open house question will be settled this evening by awarding the lease, to be dated Sept. 1. Thus far John T. Callaghan, with a bid of \$1,200, is the only contender who has come anywhere near touching the figure asked by the property committee.

M. S. Rounds of this city, president, and A. E. Hale of Bradford, secretary of the Vermont Funeral Directors' & Embalmers' association, have completed the program for the 16th annual convention of the organization, which is to be held in Burlington Aug. 30, 31 and Sept. 1. Mr. Rounds, who has been passing the month of August at York Beach, Me., will return to Barre early next week to assist in final arrangements for the gathering. Prof. C. F. Moadinger of Brooklyn, N. Y., who performed over a cadaver at the convention in Barre last year, will lecture before the undertakers and the speakers are to include Mayor A. S. Drew of Burlington, Dr. Charles E. Dalton of the state board of health, and J. C. Stearns of Rutland. Educational pictures of interest to the profession will be shown and on the final day there will be an automobile ride to Shelburne farms and Ethan Allen park. The Bianchi boys, examiners of embalmers will hold an examination at Burlington Friday afternoon, Sept. 1, beginning at 1 o'clock.

"Beef" Bianchi has gone again. "Beef" contribution to juvenile court proceedings in Barre is too well known to need repeating, but when the lad got a vacation of two weeks from Supt. Barre at the state industrial school in Vergennes a short time ago, folks in his home town noted the youth's behavior and felt sure he would report when his fortnight expired. But the lure of the long road was too much for "Beef"—his real name is William—and last Friday night he left town unexpectedly. Gordon Eager, young son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eager, of Hooker avenue, felt the same longing and he and "Beef" made tracks in the same direction. Since their departure the police have been conducting a quiet investigation in the hope that their inquiries would disclose the whereabouts of the boys. At Montpelier Junction, it was learned, the lads purchased tickets to Nashua, N. H., and so the police of the New Hampshire city have been asked to assist in the search. The Bianchi boy was registered at the industrial school nearly two years ago and had acquitted himself creditably until he fell from grace last week.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank all neighbors and friends for their kind attention to us during the illness and death of our dear mother and grandmother. Also for the many floral contributions.

Mrs. Addie Ladd and family,
Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Morse and family,
Mrs. Agnes Lombard.

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Don't Let Us Hurry You

We have been in New York this week, watching the Dry Goods market. Just take this whisper from us: If you are to buy Cotton for fall and winter, don't let September 1 pass without making your purchases. You will see, following September 1, for six weeks the fastest price advances for years.

Wool Dress Goods that we paid 47½¢ for two years ago, to-day cost 82½¢, with but a very few colors for sale. If you buy of us before we have to pay these prices, it means a large saving to you. This applies to our whole stock.

Now you have the whole story as to present and future prices. Do as you like.

A Few Muslin Underwear Specials in Our Bargain Basement

One lot of Hamburg Trimmed Corset Covers at 19c each.

Children's Plain Tucked Drawers at 9c.

Ladies' very fine Long Cloth Drawers with wide hamberg edge at 49c.

Two styles in Hamburg-Trimmed Ladies' Night Robes; one style long sleeves, the other style short sleeves, at 49c each.

One lot of very pretty well-made Hamburg Trimmed Night Robes in two styles, short and long sleeves, at 69c each.

Two styles of White Hamburg Trimmed Skirts at 49c each.

Two styles fine Hamburg Trimmed Skirts at 98c, worth \$1.50 per pair.

One lot of Envelope Chemises, good grade, very pretty, made of Long Cloth, fine hamberg trimmed, at 49c each.

One lot of very fine Envelope Chemises, fine lace and embroidery, at 87c.

In this basement is a lot of Hamburgs at half price, all imported Hamburgs in odd pieces.

One lot of 18c Long Cloth, a special lot of old goods that we are making special at 12½¢ per yard. No more at this price, only this one small lot.

One lot of Stripe and Crossbar Muslin, worth 12c. This small lot at 10c per yard—more than this at wholesale to-day.

White Enamel Ware at two-thirds of the regular price asked in large city stores.

Lots of kinds in this basement at less than wholesale prices to-day.

For School Wear

Only a few days to school time. We know that hot weather almost makes one forget that fall is very near.

There are several good things awaiting you in both Piece Goods and Ready-to-Wear. Far better for the price than you will be able to find a few weeks later.

Many of these special values are on our tables in center of aisles, where you can see them without asking for them. Handy to look over at your leisure.

All Gingham and Percales at present prices are a good buy, and just now we have a very nice assortment.

Cut all garments by New Idea Patterns. They save material and are right for style.

Garment Department

We are closing all Wash Dresses at one-half price and less to make room for our early fall stock.

At one-half price are a lot of odd Dresses that have been among our best values of the season. You will find some extra values in heavy Linen Dresses that are just what you will want for early fall wear. These are in a variety of different styles, hardly any two alike. This is a chance to get a good Dress at less than the price of the materials alone.

At one-half price are a few White Dresses, as well as Light Colored Voiles and Muslins.

At 98c each are a few odd Dresses in White and Colored.

New Skirts, New Hats, New Dress Goods, New Neckwear, New Buttons, New Wash Goods, all of our Winter Hosiery and Sweaters—a little earlier than usual. We are glad to get them and you will be pleased to see them.

The Daylight Store

TALK OF THE TOWN

Special attention: Prompt service for all local work. Phone 606-W, Kenyon's auto bus.

Mrs. David M. Gilbertson has gone to Washington for a two weeks' visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. M. Smith.

Call 152-W for furniture moving and heavy trucking by auto truck at reasonable rates. Vermont Trucking & Sales Co.

T. Herbert McMinn of Battle Creek, Mich., arrived in this city recently for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Allan A. Morris.

Factory methods. All kinds of shoe repairing, leather or rubber in every description. M. Charbonneau & Son, Basement Worthen block.

Mrs. F. B. Emery has returned to her home in Philadelphia after visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Saunders, on Trow hill. She was accompanied by another sister, Mrs. Inez Bassett, who will visit her for a few weeks.

Former parishioners of Rev. Bert J. Lehigh, pastor of the First Baptist church in Barre, who is passing a part of his vacation in Oswego, N. Y., tendered him a surprise party last Friday evening, the following account of the gathering appearing in the Oswego Daily Times of Saturday: Last evening a number of the members of the First Baptist church surprised their former pastor, Rev. B. J. Lehigh, at the home of William Foot, 50 East Eighth street. Rev. Thomas A. Hughes, S. T. D., present pastor, presented Mr. Lehigh with solid gold cufflinks and a gold stickpin with pearl setting on behalf of the unexpected guests. The recipient made a fitting response, though overcome at the testimony of continued regard. About 50 were present and light refreshments were served. To-day is Rev. Mr. Lehigh's birthday.

George H. Collamer, Barre wire chief for the Vermont Tel. & Tel. Co., is chairman of the general committee in charge of arrangements for the second annual outing of the New England Tel. & Tel. Co. employees at Burlington next Saturday, and Robert Cruikshank of the local service gang is manager of the sub-line companies' team that is to compete in the baseball match with the New England team. A silver cup presented by the officers of the parent company is the trophy that shivers in the balance and interest in the match has reached a high pitch among the telephone employees in every district. Barre, Montpelier, Newport and St. Johnsbury are to contribute players that are to battle for the sub-line companies. A varied program of sports will follow the baseball game and other features have been provided to make the field day enjoyable for the "hello" girls, who are planning to attend. Barre will be represented by a delegation of 15 people and Montpelier will probably send nearly as many more.

TALK OF THE TOWN

W. H. Goodfellow left yesterday for South Ryegate, where he will visit for a few days.

Max Holden of South Main street has gone to Greensboro, where he is passing a week in camp with friends at Caspian lake.

Floyd G. Russell of the Red Cross pharmacy left last night for Boston to attend the annual convention of the United Drug Co.

The meeting of the board of civil authority for the abatement of taxes to be held this evening at 8 p. m. will probably be the last meeting for that purpose this year.

Philip Vercoe returned to his home on Warren street last night, after visiting friends and relatives in Westbury, N. Y., for the past week, while on his vacation from the Waldron Shield office.

George Quinn visited friends in the city yesterday afternoon while en route from Waterbury, where he has been visiting friends and relatives during the past week, to his home in Windsor.

Fred Maun, who has been visiting friends on Brook street since the first of last week, left yesterday for Lebanon, N. H., where he will visit friends for a few days while en route to his home in Fitchburg, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Petrie and children, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Petrie of Glenwood avenue, left to-day in their automobile for a trip through the White mountains, before returning home to Ware, Mass.

Results in the championship tournament finals at the Meadow Brook Golf club were as follows: James Freeland becomes club champion by beating A. W. Freeland, 5 up and 2 to play; second eight, Adam Birnie beat J. Mercer, 5 up and 4 to play.

Mrs. Jennie Moody of Kingston, Ont., who is a guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. W. D. Reid of South Main street, will leave the city Thursday for Montreal, P. Q., whence she is to sail Friday for England to visit her son, Frederick Moody, who is a major in one of the Canadian contingents.

Patrick D. Murphy of Waterbury, after acknowledging a first offense of intoxication in city court this morning, reconsidered his appeal for permission to sign the pledge when Magistrate H. W. Scott told him that the fine was only \$5. Murphy was on the point of signing up for a year in the waterwagon league when he decided that it was worth \$5 to a man to be his own umpire in such matters.

Notice to Democratic Voters of Barre Town.

Democratic voters of Barre Town will meet at 7 o'clock Wednesday night, Aug. 23, in the Miles hall. Per order Democratic town committee.

TALK OF THE TOWN

See the new waists with collars at Vaughan's.

Martin Norton of Montpelier was arrested this morning and locked up at police headquarters on an intoxication charge.

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A jury was drawn in city court this morning for the case of State vs. Alex Wilson, charged with a breach of the peace, which is to be heard before Magistrate H. W. Scott tomorrow at 9 a. m. E. R. Davis is the appearance for Wilson and Grand Juror William Wishart will prosecute. The case of State vs. Mrs. Enrichetta Ambrosini, who was arrested yesterday on a charge of selling liquor illegally, was continued to-day until Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. Mrs. Ambrosini furnished surety of \$550 last night and was released. E. R. Davis is her counsel.

Firemen at the central station figure they have put one across on old Gen. Humidity by pitching a tent in the yard at the rear of the building which they are using for sleeping quarters. The idea had its inception in the busy brain of one of the drivers and it worked out so successfully that other regulars began subscribing to the open-air cure for restless night vigils, and now the firemen are getting ready to pitch a second tent. Last night an alarm go unanswered while sleep is knitting up the raveled sleeve of official cares, the tent men have connected a gong in their sleeping quarters with the alarm system in the station.

Among the guests registered at Hotel Barre last night and this morning were the following people: Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Abbott and chauffeur of Syracuse, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. H. Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. G. Cooper of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stenger of Morrisville, Stoddard B. Bates of Derby, M. C. Flanders of Tunbridge, H. P. Oliver of St. Johnsbury, Marshall J. England of Boston, T. W. Stearns of St. Johnsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Onell and Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Cook of Clendale, R. L. Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Heiser, Miss Colia L. Heiser and Miss Ethel L. Heiser of Stamford, Conn.; E. E. Quebec of Rutland, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Roys, Miss Gladys F. Seward and A. L. Hayden of Roxbury, L. E. Leslie and Everett Leslie of Johnson, Dr. D. A. White of Waterbury, Conn., H. J. Markolf of West Rutland, F. H. Owens of Greenfield, Mass., R. E. Nesme of Fargo, N. D., J. A. Smith of Center Harbor, Me., Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCarter of Newport and E. E. Bradford of Detroit, Mich.

TALK OF THE TOWN

More of those coronets at Vaughan's. Stoddard B. Bates of Derby, state highway commissioner, was a business visitor in Barre yesterday and to-day.

Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Thomas of Enosburg Falls were visitors in the city yesterday while on their way home, after visiting friends in South Royalton.

Mrs. E. M. Roscoe of French street, who has been attending the summer school sessions at the University of Vermont in Burlington for several weeks, has returned to the city.

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A nice Red Salmon, tall cans 15c
Extra Fancy Clear Steak Salmon, flat cans 25c
Roast Mutton, something new; large flat cans, ea. 20c
Extra Fine Granulated Sugar, per lb. 8c
Hand-Picked Yellow-Eye Beans, per quart 15c
Hand-Picked Yellow-Eye Beans, per lb. 8c
Best Grade Pea Beans, per quart 18c
Best Grade Pea Beans, per lb. 10c
Hunt's Blue Label Hawaiian Pineapple, the large can 20c
Dundee Evaporated Milk 3 cans for 25c
Borden's Picnic Size Evaporated Milk 5c
Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk 17c

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Watermelons, only 50c each—Large, fancy, ripe ones
Sweet Potatoes, per lb. 5c, 6 lbs. for 25c
Skinner's Sweet Corn, per dozen 25c
And it's worth it.
Shell Beans, per quart 5c
8 lbs. of Bulk Baking Soda for Special 25c
6 rolls of Toilet Paper for 25c
Dr. Hess' Disinfectant, full pint bottles 25c
Fresh Roasted Peanuts, per quart 7c, 4 quarts 25c
(Special price by the bushel.)

Save the wrappers from Cross' Jersey Cream Bread, 3 loaves for 25c. They are valuable. Ask for catalog of presents.

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